#### MONSON TOWN COLLECTOR

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#### **Annual Report Calendar 2006**

It is with great pride and accomplishment that as Town Collector I submit my **20th Annual Town Report** to the taxpayers of the Town of Monson.

The Town Collector is responsible for the billing and collection of all billed revenue due and owing to the Town of Monson, committed on warrant. The categories for collection include taxes, user fees, license fees, permits, violations, other departmental receivables and services. Massachusetts General Laws on Taxation, Chapters: 41, 44, 58, 59, 60, 60A and 90 provide the manner through which the collector derives the authority to proceed to collect and enforce the collection of taxes and all miscellaneous revenue. The Collection index for calendar 2006 exceeds 97%. This percentage continues to reflect the aggressive, yet fair and efficient approach taken by this department to retrieve all possible revenue owed to the town. [Detail of collections provided on the next three pages.]

I would like to thank my office staff, Kathy Carr, Certified Massachusetts Municipal Assistant Collector, and Claire Forgues, Clerical Assistant to the Collector, for their patience, understanding, knowledge and commitment they provide to our taxpayers on a daily basis. To those town departments and committees, with whom I have had the pleasure of working with throughout this past year, I express my sincere appreciation and respect for your devotion to our town. "A place where most of us call home."

Respectfully submitted,

<u>Dorothy P. Jenkins, CMMC</u> MONSON TOWN COLLECTOR

#### REPORT OF THE MONSON TOWN COLLECTOR

#### **CALENDAR YEAR 2006**

### COMMITMENTS RECEIVED FOR COLLECTION FROM THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2006:

2006 – Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise Tax	966,387.40
2005 – Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise Tax	1,642.51
<b>2007</b> – Personal Property Tax	212,997.05
<b>2007</b> – Real Estate Tax	8,353,636.91
<b>2006</b> – Revised Real Estate Tax	20,359.56
2007 – Roll-Back Real Estate Tax	31,191.06
<b>2006</b> – Supplemental Real Estate Tax	41,589.01
2005 – Supplemental Real Estate Tax	23,977.00
TOTAL COMMITTED FOR COLLECTION:	\$9,651,780.50

## COMMITMENTS RECEIVED FOR COLLECTION FROM WATER/SEWER COMMISSIONERS DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2006:

2007 – Sewer Accounts	234,293.14
2006 – Sewer Accounts	112,928.25
2007 – Water Accounts	243,869.56
2006 – Water Accounts	233,355.96

TOTAL COMMITTED FOR COLLECTION: \$824,446.91

### COMMITMENTS RECEIVED FOR COLLECTION FROM THE BOARD OF HEALTH DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2006:

**2006** – Trash Accounts 647,220.00

TOTAL COMMITTED FOR COLLECTION: \$647,220.00

### COMMITMENTS RECEIVED FOR COLLECTION FROM THE HIGHWAY SURVEYOR DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2006:

**2006** – Cross Alter Permits 2,600.00

TOTAL COMMITTED FOR COLLECTION: \$2,600.00

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# TOTAL COMMITMENTS FOR COLLECTION RECEIVED FROM THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, WATER/SEWER COMMISSIONERS, BOARD OF HEALTH AND HIGHWAY SURVEYOR, YEAR 2006: \$11,126,047.41

## COLLECTED AND TURNED-OVER TO THE TOWN TREASURER IN CALENDAR YEAR 2006:

2006 – Cross Alter Gas Permits	2,600.00
<b>2006</b> – Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	914,190.50
<b>2005</b> – Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	43,493.85
<b>2004</b> – Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	6,911.29
2002 – Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	236.14
<b>2001</b> - Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	28.96
<b>2000</b> – Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	20.00
<b>2007</b> – Personal Property Tax	113,727.47
<b>2006</b> – Personal Property Tax	109,695.90
2005 – Personal Property Tax	15.61
<b>2007</b> – Real Estate Tax	3,814,703.13
<b>2006</b> – Real Estate Tax	4,079,937.62
<b>2005</b> – Real Estate Tax	21,730.26
<b>2006</b> - Registry of Motor Vehicle Marking Fees	8,362.00
2005 – Revised Real Estate Tax	20,359.56
<b>2006</b> - Roll Back Real Estate Tax	26,314.47
2007 – Sewer Receipts	228,827.29
2005 – Sewer Receipts	228,718.58
2004 – Sewer Receipts	344.50
<b>2006</b> – Supplemental Real Estate Tax	38,351.26
<b>2005</b> – Supplemental Real Estate Tax	23,977.00
2006 – Trash Receipts	528,139.22
2005 – Trash Receipts	4,115.85
2004 – Trash Receipts	1,501.20
2003 – Trash Receipts	990.00
2002 – Trash Receipts	815.48
2001 – Trash Receipts	360.00
2000 - Trash Receipts	704.37
1999 – Trash Receipts	495.00
1998 – Trash Receipts	315.00
1997 – Trash Receipts	341.16
1996 – Trash Receipts	528.00
1995 – Trash Receipts	526.53

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1994 – Trash Receipts	336.00
1993 – Trash Receipts	182.00
1992 – Trash Receipts	180.00
1991 – Trash Receipts	81.00
<b>2006</b> – Trash Recyclable Bins [56]	336.00
2007 – Water Receipts	228,718.58
2006 – Water Receipts	239,707.29
2005 – Water Receipts	83.33

#### **Miscellaneous Collections**

Collection Fees	24,834.00
Dishonored Check Fees	500.00
Interest Collected on Delinquent Accounts	49,334.48
Interest Earned on Checking Accounts	209.74
Monson Senior/Disabled Fund Contributions	2,082.79
Monson Town Scholarship Fund Contributions	5,155.28
Mobile Home Park - In Lieu of Taxes	8,400.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes Paid After Abatement	304.82
Municipal Lien Certificates (320)	8,000.00
Parking Permits	15.00
Parking Fine Violations	1,010.00
Recyclable Bulk Items ["Bulky Day"]	5,918.00
Town Collector's Revolving Fund	4,808.00
Zoning Enforcement Violation Fines	50.00

# TOTAL COLLECTED AND TURNED-OVER TO THE TOWN TREASURER DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2006 \$10,801.623.61

[Town Collector's 2006 Annual Report concluded] Submitted by: <u>Dorothy P. Jenkins, CMMC</u>